

RESOLUTION NO. 2001-161

A RESOLUTION OF THE LODI CITY COUNCIL AUTHORIZING THE CITY  
MANAGER TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH THE CITY OF  
STOCKTON REGIONAL FIRE AND EMERGENCY MEDICAL DISPATCH  
CENTER FOR EMERGENCY DISPATCHING SERVICES

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WHEREAS, on December 7, 2000 the City Council was presented with a report and request to move Lodi Fire Department dispatching duties from the Lodi Police Department to the City of Stockton Regional Fire and Emergency Medical Dispatch Center; and

WHEREAS, in that presentation the need was described for dedicated Fire Department dispatchers and the cost to the City was estimated at \$225,000 per year; and

WHEREAS, the alternative to this issues was investigated and the move to Stockton Regional Fire and Emergency Dispatch Center was recommended. The agreement calls for \$10.00 per emergency call and \$5.00 per every non-emergency call. The estimated annual cost to the City of Lodi is \$60,000; and

WHEREAS, currently all fire jurisdictions in San Joaquin County have dispatching agreements with the Stockton Regional Fire and Emergency Medical Dispatch Center; and

WHEREAS, maintenance costs will be shared with the other users as will radio frequencies. Shared radio frequencies will give Lodi firefighters the ability to move to a second frequency should the primary frequency become busy.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Lodi City Council that the City Manager enter into an agreement with the City of Stockton Regional Fire and Emergency Medical Dispatch Center for emergency dispatching services for an estimated annual cost of \$60,000.

Dated: June 20, 2001

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I hereby certify that Resolution No. 2001-161 was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Lodi in a regular meeting held June 20, 2001, by the following vote:

AYES: COUNCIL MEMBERS – Hitchcock, Howard, Land, Pennino and  
Mayor Nakanishi

NOES: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None

ABSENT: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None

ABSTAIN: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None

  
SUSAN J. BLACKSTON  
City Clerk